# COMMENCEMENT

Dr. Cecil Delivers Baccalaureate Sermon-Many Visitors at College.

### CLOSING AT OTHER SCHOOLS

Days to Be Full of Interesting Things at Washington and Lee Next Week.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
HAMPDEN-SIDNEY, VA., June 7.—
The 133rd commencement of HampdenSidney College began on yesterday
with the baccalaureate sermon before with the baccalaureate sermon before the graduating class by the Rev. Russell Cecil, D. D., of Richmond, Dr. Cecil's address delighted the large congregation which assembled to hear him. The graduating class, numbering fiteen, and wearing the class gowns, were scated in front of the pulpit. On the same evening at 8 o'clock the Rev. Alfred T. Graham, D. D., of Lexington, delivered the annual sermon before the Y. M. C. A.

This morning the annual hop given by the German Club took place, and at 8 o'clock this evening the annual celebration of the Union Literary Society was held.

The largest number of vicitors seen at a commencement here for many

at a commencement here for many years is present. The alumni of the college are present in unusual force, and everything points to a most suc-cessful close of a very successful term.

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LEXINGTON, VA., June 7.—The 128th annual commencement of Washington and Lee University will be held next week, June 13 to 16. The year has been most successful, and the present enrolment is the largest in the history of the university. The speakers will be Rev. James I. Vance, of Newark, N. J.: Hon, Wado Hampton Eills, of Washington, D. C., and iton. Goorge F. Parker, of New York.

Social Events,

In addition to the university exercises, and attendant thereon, will be the usual festivities of finals. The latter have always been the social events of the year at Washington and Lee, and a large number of visitors will be in attendance. Hops, morning agernans and various excursions follow one another in rapid succession, all culmivating in the ball on Wednesday, June 16.

To the interested alumni of the two clubs, Harry Lee and Albert Sidney, the boat race this year holds out the alluring prospect of being the closest in years. As the aggregate number of victories on each side is about the same, the excitement will be intense. The Harry Lee crew is composed of Hannis, conswain; Leap, 4: Powell, 3: Moore, 2: Glasgow, 1. Albert Sidney, Crew—Dickey, coxswain, Brown, 4: Moreland, 3: Darnell, 2: Reddow, 1. Program of Week, Following is the week's program: Sunday, June 13—10 A. M., baccalaureate sermon by Rev. James I. Vance; 8:50 P. M., address before the Young Men's Christian Association by Rev. James I, Vance, Monday, June 14—6 P. M., boat race; 9 P. M., final celebration of the literary societies; 11 P. M., Cotillion Cub co-tillion.

Tuesday, June 15—10:30 A. M., band concert on the campus; 11 A. M., an-

societies; 11 P. M., Cotillion Club cotillion.

Tuesday, June 15—19:30 A. M., band concert on the campus; 11 A. M., annual meeting of the board of trustees; 6 P. M., band concert on the campus; 9 P. M., address before the Alumni Association by Hon. Wade Hampton Ells, Assistant Attorney-General of the United States; 11 P. M., alumni banduet.

quet.
Wednesday, June 16-11 A. M., commencement exercises-address before the literary societies by Hon. George F. Parker, of New York City; 10:50 P. M., final ball.

Tonne High School Finals.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

TOANO, VA., June 7.—The commencement exercises of the Toano High School will be held on Thursday and Friday. Dr. J. C. Metcalf, of Richmond College, will deliver the address. Much interest is felt in the debyte between Toano High School and Williamsburg High School, to be held on Thursday night. High School, to be new night. This closes the first session of the



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First Fraternity Banquet of Commencement Season Held

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] ASHLAND, VA., june 7.—The first of the fraternity banquets to be given this commencement at Randolph-Macon was held here to-night in the Henry Clay Inn, where the members of Tau Chapter of Phi Kappa Sigma gathered with the friends around the fattern board. The banquet room was taste-fully decorated with old gold and white, the fraternity colors. A large Maltese cross, the design of the fra-ternity plo, brilliantly illuminated with small electric lamps, added great-

with small electric lamps, added greatly to the general scheme. Potted plants in profusion were artistically arranged about the room.

Heward Harlan, of the active chapter. B. T. Wilson, of the alumni, and Mesdames Shepherd, Wightman, Hartsook, Baldwin, Tucker, Addison and Mackey acted as receiving committed and help to make everybody have the best time possible.

Among Those Present.

stock, Va.; R. H. Payne, with Miss Welsiger, of Ashland; Howard Harlan, Jr., Alumni members—D. A. Harrison, Jr., of Bedford City, with Miss Jones, of Monterey, Va.; H. L. Moyler, of Petersburg, with Miss Paalee, of Ashland; Dr. J. Fred Messick, of Ashland, with Miss Balee, of Ashland; Dr. J. Fred Messick, of Ashland, with Miss Baleakwell, of Ashland, M. V. Bishop, of Monterey, Va., with Miss Yeat, Ashland; F. S. Richesson, of Richmond, with Miss Briggs, of Richmond; W. W. Barrow, of Farmville, with Miss Gaines, of frvington; Paul Jernigan, of Norfolk, with Miss McCullen, of Ashland; R. C. Jones, of Monterey, Va., with Miss Hunt, of Ashland; W. P. Baldwin, of Ashland, with Miss Rice, of Ashland; R. C. Carter, of Farmville, Va., with Miss Nixon, of Ashland; W. Rice Warren, F. W. Tucker, of Ashland, with Mrs. Warren; F. W. Tucker, of Ashland, with Mrs. Tucker; Dr. C. B. Crute, of Farmville, Va.; C. W. Prettyman, of Rockville, Md.; W. S. Brown, of Ashland, with Mrs. Tucker; Dr. C. B. Crute, of Farmville, Va.; W. W. Lear, of Farmville; C. Barley, of Alexandria, Va.; Rev. S. C. Hatcher, of Farmville; H. W. Thrasher, of Front Royal, Va.; F. G. Newbill, of Irvington, Va.

Chaperons—Mrs. E. E. Hartsock, Mrs. A. C. Wightman, Mrs. M. Baldwin, Mrs. B. M. Shepherd, Mrs. F. W. Tucker, Mrs. R. W. Mackey, Mrs. Addison, Invited guests—Judge and Mrs. E. D. Newman, of Woodstock, Va.; Congressmand, C. Carlin, of Alexandria, Va.; Hon. R. B. Davis, of Petersburg.

PLEA FOR BETTER ROADS.

Neeting Held in Newbern Arouses
Much Interest There.

[Special to Tho Times-Dispatch.]
NEWBERN, N. C., June "...-An Important meeting in the interest of good roads was held here to-day. The attendance was small, but all those present took deep interest in the proceedings, and it is hoped that the suggestions made will have practical application. The State Geologist, Dr. Joseph Hyde Pratt, and a government expert, W. L. Spoen, were the speakers. By the use of the stereopticon much was shown, illustrating the advantages of good roads. It was stated that the ninety-eight counties represented 50,000 miles of highway, and that it was incumbent upon every county to improve its roads. The bond issue measures was recommended.

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# MANN DODGING. TUCKER CHARGES

Calls on Judge to Come Into the Open and Tell Where He Stands.

BIG CROWD AT GLOUCESTER

Nottoway Candidate Addresses Large Audience at Rocky Mount-Voters Interested.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] GLOUCESTER C. H., VA., June 7. Hon, Henry St. George Tucker, can didate for Governor, addressed the people of Gloucester to-day in the courthouse on the issues of the moment. The building was filled by a large, interested and enthusiastic audience, the large majority of whom were evidently in sympathy with Mr. Tucker. The speech was clearcut and strong, and is believed to have won Mr. Tucker many votes. It was pretty generally conceded to-day that he would carry Gloucester at the primary

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[Sneedal to The Times-Dispatch,]
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William Hodges Manm of Nottoway,
spoke to a large and attentive audicnce
at the courthouse to-day. He was introduced by Hon. E. W. Saunders and
made a pleasing speech, in which little
was said about Mr. Tucker. He declared that if elected he would use
his best efforts for better roads, larger
educational appropriations, agricultural
institutes and increased pensions for
Confederate soldiers.

# The Doctor Writes of Counterfeiters.

OHAS. H. FLETCHER, New York City.

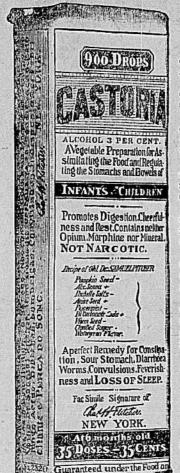
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### Bull Pitcher on D. **Letters from Prominent Druggists** addressed to Chas. H. Fletcher.

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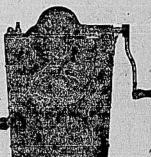
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Man Charged with Stealing Animal Belonging to a Woman.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

WOODSTOCK, VA., June 7.—George Reedy, a married man, about thirty years old, who lives near Saumsville, was arrested to-day by Sherin Spiker, charged with stealing a horse. The horse belonged to Mrs. D. P. Gochorour, and was stolen from a pasture field within two miles of this place, Reedy, it is alleged, sold the horse to A. M. Minnick, of New Market, for \$50.

Yeatman on Retired List. WASHINGTON, D. C., June 7.—Brig-adier-General Richard T. Yeatman, redently promoted from colonel of the
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